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SUBJECT: USN PARTICIPATION IN SPITHEAD FLEET REVIEW, JUNE
28, 1977

1. FOR ADDRESSEES' INFORMATION, FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF
LETTER FROM JO;N J. CROWLEY, DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF NORTHERN
EUROPEAN AFFAIRS, DEPT. OF STATE, TO MR. KENNETH B. A.
SCOTT, HEAD OF CHANCERY, BRITISH EMBASSY, WASHINGTON:
2. BEGIN TEXT: DEAR KEN: FURTHER TO YOUR NOTE NO. 193
AND MY LETTER OF DECEMBER 10 CONFIRMING IN PRINCIPLE US
NAVY PARTICIPATION IN A REVIEW OF THE FLEET AT SPITHEAD ON
JUNE 28, 1977, IN CONNECTION WITH HM QUEEN ELIZABETH II'S
SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATION, I SHOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE THE
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FOLLOWING DETAILED INFORMATION ON THE SHIP SELECTED:

NAME/CLASS: USS CALIFORNIA (CGN-36), NUCLEAR-POWERED
GUIDED MISSILE CRUISER

LENGTH: 596 FEET

DISPLACEMENT: 10,100 TONS

MAXIMUM DRAFT: 30 FEET

COMMANDING OFFICER: CAPTAIN W. O. RENTZ

CREW: 28 OFFICERS; 500 ENLISTED; LARGE NUMBER OF MIDSHIP-
MENT

FLAG OFFICER EMBARKED: VADM JOHN J. SHANAHAN, JR.

FURTHER INFORMATION ON DETAILED PLANS FOR PARTICIPATION,
LOGISTICAL ARRANGEMENTS, ETC., WILL BE REQUESTED THROUGH
USN-RN CHANNELS.

WITH BEST REGARDS. SINCERELY, JOHN J. CROWLEY
END TEXT.
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